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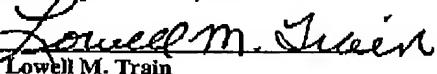
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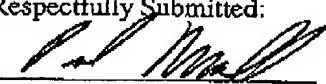
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 11, 2004**

Dear Sir:

This is Applicants' response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2004 requiring election of species for the above-identified application. Applicants elect species II/subspecies I. As all of the claims are written in open-ended format and do not exclude a rich internal combustion engine having an oxygen separator with membrane for producing oxygen streams (even if they do not explicitly specify such an oxygen separator), each of claims 1-25 reads on the elected species/subspecies.

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